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Attorney Docket Number	1021.2005-001
Application Number	10/804,846
First Named Inventor	Yi Hua Ma

CLAIM CALCULATION (includes any preliminary amendment)

CLAIMS	(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) C	CALCULATIONS
	TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c) or (j))	35 - 20* =	15	x \$ 18 =	\$	270
	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b) or (i))	3 - 3**=	0	x \$86 =	\$	0
	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT C	LAIMS (if applicable) (37 C	CFR 1.16(d))	+ \$ 290 =	\$	
				BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a) or (h))	\$	770
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		Reduction by 50% for filir	ng by small entity (37 (OFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28) =	\$	
				TOTAL =	\$	1040
		Surcharge - Late Filing of De	eclaration or Filing Fee	s (37 C.F.R. 1.16(e)) =	\$	130
		Petition	for Extension of Time	Fee (37 C.F.R. 1.17) =	\$	
			Assignm (only whe	ent Recordation Fee = n filed with application)	\$	
				[Other]	\$	
	* Reissue claims in excess of ** Reissue independent claim	20 and over original patent sover original patent		TOTAL =	\$	1170

1.	Small	entity	status:
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a.	ſ,	A small	entity	statement	is encl	osed

- b. [] A small entity statement was filed in the prior non-provisional application and such status is still proper and desired.
- c. [] Is no longer claimed.
- 2. [X] A general authorization is hereby granted to charge deposit account number 08-0380 for any fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 in order to maintain pendency of this application. A copy of this authorization is enclosed for accounting purposes.
- 3. [X] A check is enclosed for \$1,170.00.

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4. [] Other:

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

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Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- · The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

 Additional claim fees of \$270 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$1170 for a Large Entity

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$270
 - \$270 for 15 total claims over 20.

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Not assigned

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Sir:

In reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated June 3, 2004, the following documents and fees are being submitted for filing in the captioned application. A copy of the Notice is attached.

[X] EXECUTED DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

(Separate transmittal letter and postcard not required)

[] POWER OF ATTORNEY DOCUMENT

[] Granted by Inventor(s)

Granted by Assignee, including Statement under 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b)

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[] PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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[x] FILING FEE - with Fee Transmittal for Patent Applications in duplicate

Fee calculations based on:

[X] Claims as originally filed

[] The Notice to File Missing Parts states an erroneous number of claims.

[] Claims upon entry of the Preliminary Amendment filed [herewith] [with the application]

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[X] **SURCHARGE** - surcharge fee of \$130.00

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[]	SEQUENCE LISTING - Filed concurrently and is attached (Separate transmittal letter and postcard required)
[]	REPLACEMENT DRAWINGS - [] sheets of replacement drawings consisting of Figs. 1 - [] are enclosed (Separate transmittal letter and postcard not required) [] A Petition to Accept Color Drawings/Photographs (Fig(s). []) and a Transmittal of Replacement Drawings, with attachments, are enclosed. (Separate check for fees and postcard required)
[]	PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME [] Applicant hereby petitions to extend the time to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated [] for [] month(s) from [] to [] The appropriate fee of \$[] is included in the enclosed check [] A [] month extension of time to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated [] was filed on [] with payment of a \$[] fee [] Applicant hereby petitions for an additional [] month extension of time to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts. The appropriate fee of \$[] is included in the enclosed check (Separate Petition for Extension of Time and postcard not required)
[]	REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT - Filed concurrently and is attached (Separate transmittal letter and postcard required)
]]	STATEMENT CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS [] Was filed on [] [] Is enclosed herewith (Separate transmittal letter and postcard not required) [] In view of the small entity status of the captioned application, we hereby request a reimbursement of 50% of the filing fees in the amount of \$[] which were paid on [] to be deposited in Deposit Account No. 08-0380
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		Respectfully submitted,
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